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HAVE WARM FIGHT

**Paxton and Gibson City Battling
For Capital of Ford
County.**

PECULIAR CLAIMS MADE

**Lawyers Pick Flaws in Proposition
for Removal of Court
House.**

A comical situation has developed in Ford county, this state, where a desperate county seat fight is raging, reminding one of the old-time feuds over such subjects which used to reign in Illinois. The present county seat is Paxton, a thriving city of about 5,000 people. Gibson City, a nearby rival of somewhat less population, has coveted the court house and has succeeded in complying with the law to the extent that the question of moving the county seat has been submitted to the people for decision. Gibson City has offered a site on which it agrees to erect a \$75,000 building and give it to the county.

Is Outside Corporation.
The fun is in the site proposition, and has been unearthing by lawyers who have been delving into the statutes to find some nuggets to help Paxton. The site Gibson has offered is a single block known as "block eight," and is located outside the present corporation of Gibson City. The proposition, as submitted to the voters, calls for the removal of the seat of government to "block eight." Lawyers hold now that "block eight," being outside the city, will become the county seat, and it must be known as "Block Eight," and that there is no way by which Gibson can annex it, for the block is too small to permit any inhabitants to locate on it. Therefore they say that if the people vote to move the court house to the place proposed, they will not, in fact, move it to Gibson City, but to a site known as block eight, which, under the law, can never be annexed to the city and become a part of it.

Not Compelled to Keep Promise.
These lawyers hold that Gibson's promise to erect a court house is not legal and binding and that there is no way to compel the city to keep its promise. The points raised are delicate, but manifestly are according to the law of the state and are expected.

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to swing the pendulum of sentiment strongly in favor of Paxton.

IN THE SUBURBS.

ANDALUSIA.

Andalusia, Nov. 1.—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jahns, Oct. 16, a daughter. A. L. Roth went to Aledo on business last week.

Miss Josephine Strohmeier, of Rock Island, was home part of last week.

Reuben Roth is in Rock Island this week serving on the petit jury.

Benjamin Beaumont has moved into his property on the west side of town. Earl Finley and family have moved back into the property he vacated a short time ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Jens, of South Rock Island, were Sunday visitors at Hans Kruse's.

There will be preaching at the Baptist church Sunday morning and evening by Rev. Spiller.

Mr. and Mrs. Mathias Simmons have returned home after a visit with the latter's father in Buffalo.

The Baptist society will have its next dinner at the home of Mrs. Charles Weeks Nov. 9.

The box social at the school house Friday night was well attended and netted about \$15.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Strohmeier are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Walton, of Carbon Cliff.

Mrs. Joseph Simmons went to Muscatine Monday to attend the marriage of her sister, Miss Grace Shieldsburg.

Charles Huntley and family and Mrs. Charles Vandever and son, of Olympia, Wash., went to Aledo to visit Elmer Vandever and family last week.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Phillips entertained Mrs. Farquhar and Miss Edna Davis and Messrs. Peacock and Craft, of Moline, and Mr. and Mrs. Davis Simpson and little son, of Edgington.

TAYLOR RIDGE.

Taylor Ridge, Nov. 1.—Rev. Kettlekamp called on friends in Taylor Ridge Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dunlap have been visiting with O. L. Bruner's.

A number of Taylor Ridge people visited the Tri-City milk farm in Black Hawk Saturday.

W. W. Long has returned to his home from Peoria.

The Brussel boys killed a fox while hunting in William Miller's pasture Sunday.

Mrs. Arthur Miller will lead the Epworth League next Sunday night.

Miss Iva Johnson was sent as a delegate from Reynolds to the W. C. T. U. meeting Thursday.

John and Freda Martens spent Sunday at Ellis Rouse's home.

Willie Jones had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Garnett Sunday.

Miss Dalley, from California, is visiting with her cousin, Mrs. Long.

Mrs. Huntton's talk was enjoyed very much by the W. C. T. U. and visiting friends, who came to hear her, Thursday. She spoke of the organization of the first union, in 1874, by Mrs. Reed and Willing, in Bloomington; of its growth, work and earnest leaders, up to the present time; of the different branches of work, and how, in and through them all the same standard of purity is upheld for both men and women; of the sacrifices, opportunities and privileges of the white ribbon bearers, who now number in the state of Illinois alone over 14,000. The number of saloons in the same state is 18,000. An effort is being made to raise the number of white ribbon women to 18,000 this year, one for every saloon.

Mrs. Huntton was entertained by Mrs. James Miller and Mrs. D. T. Little.

FOSTER.

Foster, Nov. 2.—Mrs. Oscar Drury, of Nebraska, who has been spending the past two weeks with her sister, Mrs. E. Bopp, returned to her home last Wednesday.

Mrs. H. B. Terry and Mrs. Haley, of Seventy-six township, near Muscatine, spent a pleasant day at the home of Mrs. E. Bopp, Thursday.

The social at the home of William Workman was well attended Friday evening. A neat sum was realized.

The Misses Kate Foster and Kate Watson and Mrs. T. Noble and children were callers at the home of J. L. Warman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Watson, Russell, Pearl and Arizona Watson, Louise Drugg, Nora Kleist, Mrs. Ed Reynolds and son Ralph were pleasantly entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. Gillett Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bowser and daughters, Della and Loreta, spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Fred Foster.

Rev. J. R. Spiller attended a meeting at the Y. M. C. A. in Muscatine Sunday afternoon.

There was preaching services at Pine Bluff M. E. church at 11 a. m. Sunday by Rev. Morton.

Mr. and Mrs. William Burkhardt, of Muscatine, spent Sunday with the former's cousin, Mrs. Anna Hayes, near Wrayville.

Miss Jameson spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. John Norris.

W. P. Downey returned from Chicago Thursday.

HAMLET.

Hamlet, Nov. 2.—Miss Lula Cooper visited last week with Mrs. Fred Hartman and other relatives in Aledo and attended the meetings of Rev. Sunday. The people of Hamlet are becoming very much interested in these meetings.

Miss Ella DeBord spent the last of the week with her sister, Mrs. George Taylor. Miss Nellie Cooper acted as telephone operator in Miss Ella's absence.

The Misses Armenia Crabs, Ida Kendall, Edith Reaber and Lillie Marsh vis-

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ited the last of the week with Aledo friends.

Mrs. Lucinda Boyle was quite ill the first of the week.

Misses Nora and Mable Whisman entertained the school children at their home Tuesday evening.

Hiram Cooper and daughter Miss Minnie visited Wednesday and Thursday with New Boston friends.

BENEFIT CONCERT FOR HIS CHURCH

Arranged by Rev. G. Giglinger With Talent from Davenport and Rock Island.

Rev. Dr. G. Giglinger of Davenport, for the purpose of adding to the funds for his Bettendorf church, has gathered together musical and elocutionary talent from Davenport and Rock Island for a concert to be given at the Burtis opera house Wednesday evening, Nov. 15. Miss Josephine Cleary of New Orleans, who is a guest of her sister, Mrs. William McManis in Rock Island, and Miss Anna Irene Larkin are two of the entertainers. Following is the program:

Piano solo—"Lafraicaine".....Keterer

Miss Josephine Cleary.

Duet—"I Live and Love Thee".....

.....F. Campana

James A. Lindley, Morgan Reimers.

A Whistling Solo.....I. Trovador

Miss Ellen Mullen.

Vocal Solo.....Selection

Mrs. Henry C. Matthey.

Reading—"Jean Valjean and the Bishop".....Victor Hugo

(By Request.)

Anna Irene Larkin.

Tenor Solo.....Selection

Wallace E. Moody.

Vocal Solo.....Selection

Miss Grace Ames.

Violin Solo—"Hejre Kat!".....Hubey

Alvin E. Poole.

Bass Solo—"Toreador's Love Song".....

.....Conchois

Louis G. Susemihl.

Vocal Solo—"Non Destarmi".....Gounod

(From "Romeo and Juliet.")

Mrs. Amalia Schmidt Gobbie.

Bass Solo—"The Parting Rose".....

.....Pontius

Morgan Reimers.

"Spinning Wheel Quartet".....Flotow

(From "Martha.")

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